

I write to urge you to reject the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking #02-230. Though I understand the concerns of creators of entertainment and informational broadcast material, I think that the economic losses suffered by them is minimal when people record programs for later veiwing. In the current environment of pay TV full of advertisements, it seems a bit hypocritical to suggest that folks who are paying to receive programming cannot take the opportunity to record programming for personal use as well. Many programs are never aired again after their first airing or final season.